## HIV in the North Coastal HHSA Region

San Diego County

# 2007–2011

Total cases: 140



#### **GENDER**

Between the years 2007 and 2011, 140 individuals were diagnosed with HIV while living in the North Coastal Region. The overall rate of HIV for the North Coastal Region was 28.7 per 100,000 population. Rates were not calculated for groups with fewer than 25 cases in the five-year period (fewer than five cases per year). Of the 140 cases, 87% were male and 13% were female.

#### **MODE OF TRANSMISSION**

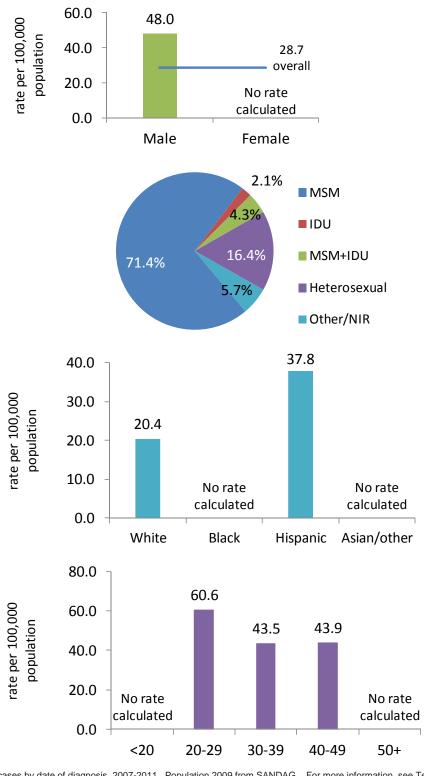
Rates cannot be calculated for mode of transmission due to a lack of population data. The predominant mode of transmission in the county overall and the North Coastal Region was MSM. Heterosexual contact accounted for 83% of female cases, but only 7% of male cases.

#### **RACIAL/ETHNIC GROUP**

The rate of HIV in the North Coastal Region was highest among Hispanics, followed by whites. Of the 140 cases, 41% were white, 11% black, 39% Hispanic and 9% Asian/other (includes Asian, Native American, and Pacific Islander).

### **AGE AT DIAGNOSIS**

Like the county overall, the 20-29 age group in the North Coastal Region had the highest rate of HIV. The 30-39 and 40-49 age groups had similar rates. Of the 140 total cases, 4% were under 20, 39% were 20-29, 20% were 30-39, 20% were 40-49 and 16% were 50+.



HIV cases by date of diagnosis, 2007-2011. Population 2009 from SANDAG. For more information, see Technical Notes or call 619.692.8545 or log on to www.sdhivaids.org 2/5/2013